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March 26, 2002

Mr. Rocky Heinrich The Rockland Corp. 12320 East Skelly Drive Tulsa, OK 74128

RE:

ML 45717-Clay

The "new" Rockland Mine DOGM Permit #S/015/090

Dear Mr. Heinrich.

This letter will advise you that the assignment of mineral lease ML 42844A from the Rockland Corp. to David Taylor is cleared for approval by the Trust Lands Administration, thus enabling your operations on ML 45717 to be permitted as a Small Mine with DOGM providing the total proposed surface disturbance is less than five acres.

Prior to the commencement of mining under ML 45717, however, the Rockland Corporation must complete the permit-to-mine process with DOGM and must post an acceptable bond with the Trust Lands Administration. On March 15, 2002, DOGM sent you a list of outstanding deficiencies in the permit-to-mine. Please address and satisfy these concerns as soon as possible. DOGM advises that the total acreage for disturbance is 4.32 acres. You are therefore requested to immediately post a surety bond with the Trust Lands Administration in the amount of \$25,000.00. This may best be accomplished by a change rider to your existing \$5,000.00 surety bond #886424C with Developers Surety and Indemnity Company.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

John T. Blake

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